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SUBJECT: USIRJC TRAINING TEAM

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1. TEAM MEMBERS FAILED TO MEET APPOINTMENTS SCHEDULED
HOUSTON, TEXAS, SEPTEMBER 20, FOR LAST TWO DAYS
TRAINING UNDER REVISED PROGRAM (REF A).

2. JABBARI PREVIOUSLY HAD SKIPPED PART OF WASHINGTON
PROGRAM TO TRAVEL MISSOURI BUT WAS TO MEET TEAM IN
HOUSTON.OVER WEEKEND JEDDI AND SASANI TELEPHONED DOL
STAFF MEMBER WHO WAS TO MEET TEAM IN HOUSTON. THEY
SAID THEY MIGHT NOT GO TO HOUSTON, BUT ASSURED HIM
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THAT JABBARI WOULD. DOL STAFFER WENT TO HOUSTON

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BUT REPORTED NONE OF TEAM THERE FOR APPOINTMENTS. THUS, TEAM RECEIVED, AT MOST, SIX DAYS TRAINING (ANOTHER DAY LOST MOVING TO NEW HOTEL) ALL IN WASHINGTON RATHER THAN 15 DAYS IN THREE CITIES AS ORGINALLY PLANNED.

3. JEDDI AND SASANI MET DOL STAFFER THIS MORNING. THEY OFFERED NO EXPLANATION FOR FAILURE TO GO HOUSTON AND INDICATED THEY DID NOT KNOW JABBARI'S WHEREABOUTS. THEY HAVE NOW DEPARTED FOR NEW YORK AND TEHRAN.

4. DOL FINDS SITUATION EMBARRASSING AND BELIEVES MLSA SHOULD BE APPRISED THESE FACTS AND THOSE RELATED TO NEW YORK HOLIDAY REFS A AND B. FYI: IT NOW SEEMS CLEAR TO DOL THAT TEAM HAD NO GENUINE INTEREST IN STUDYING TRAINING IN U.S. AND THAT TRIP FELL SHORT OF SATISFYING USIRJC GOALS. DOL WILL AIR POUCH ORIGINAL AND REVISED PROGRAM PLANS IN CASE TEAM CRITICIZES QUALITY PROGRAM TO JUSTIFY ITS ACTIONS. KISSINGER

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